

# SLAVS GET AXIS CONCESSION

## Riot Breaks Out at CIO Strike of Bethlehem Steel Workers

### Our Daily Bread

Sliced Thin by The Editor  
ALEX. H. WASHBURN

#### Showdown Near for the CIO

Bethlehem Is One of America's Largest

Long-smouldering public resentment against agitators who attempt to make labor profits out of the National Defense emergency by inciting strikes in the war materials industries threatens to be brought to a head by today's news from Bethlehem, Pa. For Bethlehem Steel is by far the largest of the defense industries around which strike news has circulated, and the union involved is the CIO, off-color horse in the trades-union team.

### Adkins Selects New Game and Fish Board

#### 10-Member Commission Replaces Old Eight Member Group

LITTLE ROCK—(AP)—Gov. Adkins Tuesday appointed a new 10-member Game & Fish Commission replacing the eight-member body which served during the Bailey administration. Members of the new commission are: John Daggett, Marianna; Dr. J. D. Smith, Reynolds; Randolph county; W. O. Young, Russellville; Gilliam; Lawrence; Pine Bluff; Charles F. Sipper, Dornott; Roger Dudley, DeWitt; Ashley Johnson, Fort Smith; Vol Lindsey, Bentonville; C. E. Mitchell, Texarkana; and Dr. S. C. Dilling, professor of zoology at the University of Arkansas.

### Fascist Gayda Warns U. S.

#### Says Greeks Isolated, British Expelled Off Europe

ROME—(AP)—Fascist Editor Vittorio Gayda declared Tuesday that Yugoslavia's adherence to the Rome-Berlin-Tokyo Axis meant expulsion of Britain from southeastern Europe and the isolation of Greece and should "give cause for meditation to the United States."

### Hope Men to Woodmen Meet

#### Local Representative to Leave for Batesville

J. T. Crosby, head watchman of the Head Camp, Woodmen of the World RFE Insurance Society; Ray Turner, consul commander of Bois d'Arc Camp No. 28, and Ed C. Crowder, will represent the local camp at the biennial session of the Head Camp Convention which will convene in Batesville on March 28. They will leave for that city on Thursday.

The head convention is one of 25 such meetings being held all over the nation. Reports on the progress of the Woodmen of the World, addressed by national officers, a mass initiation of new members, and election of officers and delegates to the sovereign camp convention, are on the program.

### 800,000 Nazis in the Balkans

#### British Sources Make Estimate of German Troops

LONDON—(AP)—Germany has approximately 800,000 troops fully equipped for immediate battle in the Balkans to enforce the German drive toward the southeast and guard the Soviet Russian frontier, a reliable foreign source declared Tuesday.

British quarters declined to comment on this report and refused to indicate whether it checked with their intelligence.

### Aid of State Police Asked From Governor

#### Tear-Gas Bombs Thrown by City Police in Clash With Strikers

BULLETIN  
BETHLEHEM, Pa. (AP)—A crowd of shouting strikers seized two police cars and threw tear gas bombs at officers Tuesday as the CIO began picketing the Bethlehem Steel Company.

Police, seven in number, arrived at a plant gate soon after 1 p. m. Tuesday and began to deploy 1,000 pickets waiting for a change of shifts. The turmoil followed.

As the policemen moved a shower of tear gas bombs followed for the second time during the day. The situation led to a call for help to the Pennsylvania state police who still had taken no active part late Tuesday.

BETHLEHEM, Pa. (AP)—An appeal for the help of the Pennsylvania state police was made Tuesday amid clashes between pickets and local police who used tear gas in a strike called by the CIO steel workers organizing committee at the Bethlehem Steel company plant.

As moves for possible settlement were made in two directions here Gov. Arthur James dispatched Commissioner Lynn Adams, state police head, from Harrisburg to "survey conditions."

The governor acted after receiving a telegram from Sheriff Calvin Nickle which read:

"I will be unable to control situation with men at my disposal."

Nickle said "assistance is urgently needed. I believe there may be some excitement when the shift changes this afternoon."

At a mass meeting Tuesday morning strikers were given instructions for mass picketing at that time.

### Graziani, Chief of Italians in Africa, Resigns

#### Italian Marshal Replaced by Gen. Italo Graziboldi

ROME—(AP)—Marshal Rodolfo Graziani Tuesday resigned the command of Italy's north African troops and the position of army chief of staff and governor of Libya.

An official announcement said General Italo Graziboldi, chief of Graziani's staff in Libya, had been promoted to governor with command of troops in Libya.

General Mario Roatta, army under-chief of staff, was promoted to chief of staff.

Graziani, chief of staff since October, 1939, was named commander of the army in Libya July 1, 1940, succeeding Marshal Italo Balbo, who was killed when his plane was shot down over Tobruk.

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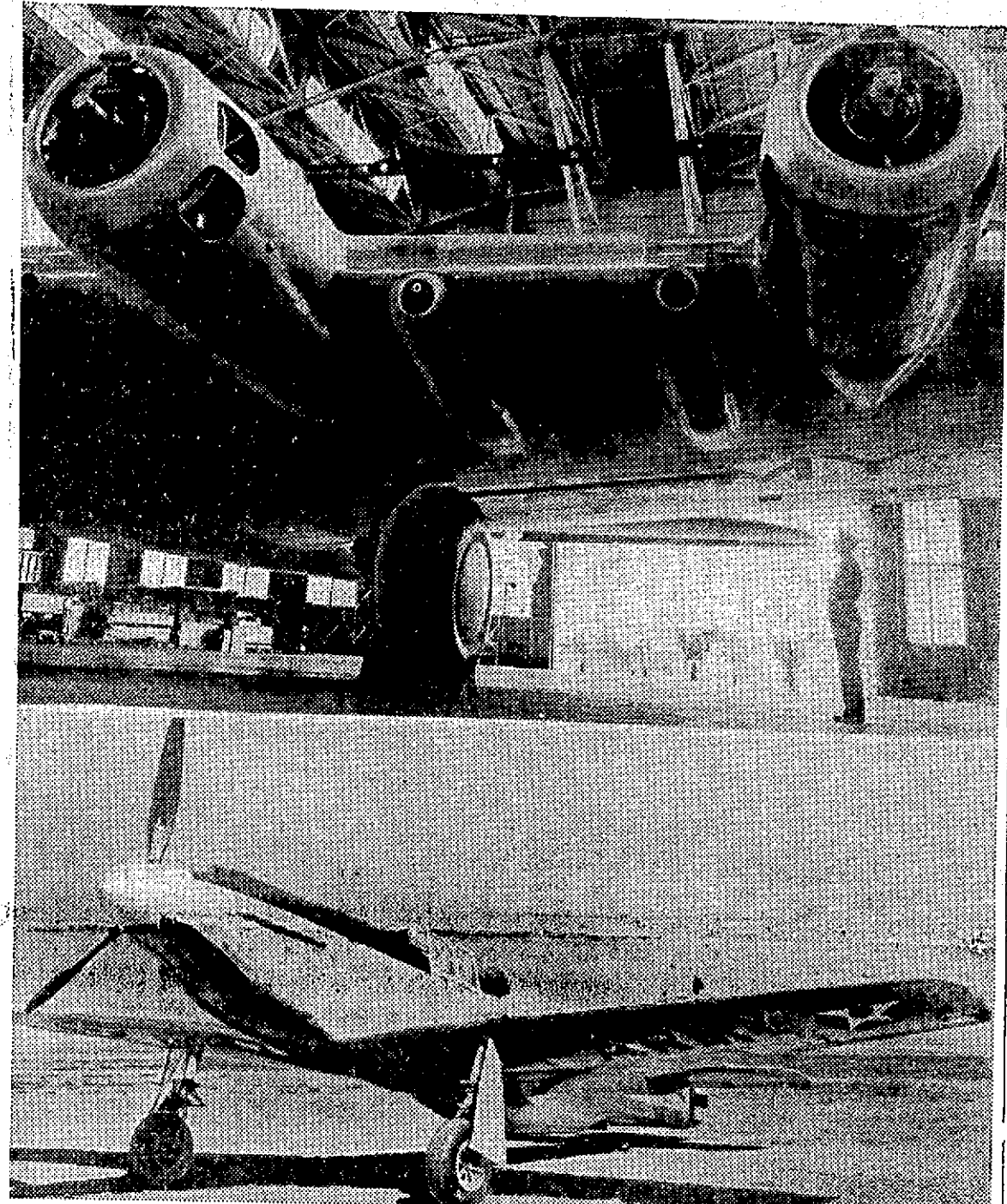
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### Fighting Planes--Largest, Newest



### Peach Blooms Due on Sunday

#### Nashville Invites Visitors to See Great Orchard

NASHVILLE—Nashville extends a courteous welcome to all to visit the orchard district on "Peach Blossom Sunday," March 30.

While peach blossoming time depends entirely upon the warm weather, there is every reason to believe that next Sunday will see the orchards colored in their brightest pink. The 12,000 acres of rolling gravel hills present beauty lovers with flower gardens as far as eye can see. Even though artists, photographers, and writers attempt vainly to copy orchard grandeur, only a visit on "Peach Blossom Sunday" can truly impress orchard beauty. Nearby bright pink blossoms gradually fade on distant hills into pastel shades before a background of sky blue.

Orchardists are glad to welcome visitors to see the beauty of their veritable rainbow of promise of coming harvest. Motorists who leisurely drive through the orchard district on "Peach Blossom Sunday" will never forget the beautiful mental picture impressed.

### Library Head Visits County

#### Makes Inspection of All Branches Tuesday

Miss Lucille Lucas, District Supervisor of WPA Libraries, and Miss Elsie Weisenberger, Hempstead County Librarian, spent Monday and Tuesday visiting each of the five branch libraries in the county.

Miss Lucas is assisting the Branch Librarians in completing accessioning of all the books donated by each community to the branch libraries and bringing other library records up to date. Work is progressing on the complete catalogue of all the books in the Hempstead County Library.

### Possible Stamp Plan Office

#### City to Be Asked for Office in Old Elks Building

The city will be asked for office space in the old Elks building to house the administrative office of the Hempstead county stamp project, officials of the county board announced here Tuesday.

This office site was heartily endorsed by Jack Upshaw, surplus commodities official of Dallas, Texas, and will be taken up with the city council at its next meeting, along with other necessary plans.

The Hempstead county board and surplus commodities officials are making every effort to get the plan in motion within 30 days and urged that every merchant cooperate with them.

### Parent Dinner at Blevins

#### Father, Son Banquet to Be Held Wednesday Night

A father and son banquet, sponsored by the vocational agriculture department of the Blevins High School, will be held at the school Wednesday night at 7:30 o'clock.

### Large Crowds Attend Revival

#### Much Interest Shown in Hope Tabernacle Meet

With an unusually large Monday night crowd at the revival meeting at the Hope Gospel Tabernacle took on new and greater interest, as the evangelist, Rev. Wm. F. McPherson, internationally known evangelist, spoke on "Bringing up Samuel."

With this unique text the preacher compared those who in passed years made conversions to God, and turned from certain sins, but have now returned to the same habits and sins, as being like Saul who sought out the witch who he had deported from Israel.

Outlining the meaning of "revival," Mr. McPherson said, "Many think that the definition of a revival is when there are conversions, baptisms, and additions, but a real revival starts in the hearts of God's people, and the conversions, baptisms, and additions are only the results of the revival in the church."

Singing on the program Monday night were Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Mays, and a solo by Mrs. J. E. Hamill.

The services are conducted nightly, except Saturday, beginning at 7:30 o'clock, with congregational singing under the direction of S. A. Mays, and Mrs. Hamill at the piano.

Happy Where He Was  
HUTCHINSON, Kas. (AP)—A Hutchinson reformatory parole violator says he was motivated by a report that his wife was planning to take him back. That was the least thing he wanted. So he got drunk, robbed a store and surrendered.

### Sign Pact But Get Guarantee of No Invasion

#### Yugoslavia Drives Better Bargain Than Rumania, Bulgaria

BULLETIN  
BELGRADE—(AP)—Anti-German elements protesting against the nation's alignment with the Axis apparently were looking to Moscow for aid against Nazi penetration.

Pamphlets circulated said: "Russia is definitely against German expansion in the Balkans."

Some papers asked "Was Moscow notified?"

Communists were reported to be rapidly organizing but for what purpose was not disclosed.

The telephone conversation between Belgrade and the Associated Press office at Bern was broken off at this point.

Yugoslav telephones were put under strict censorship when the pact was signed early Tuesday.

VIENNA—(AP)—Yugoslavia joined the Rome-Berlin-Tokyo axis as a fifth junior partner Tuesday but gained pledges that no Axis troops would cross her frontiers.

Berlin officials promptly called the act an "answer to Churchill and Roosevelt."

In the great yellow hall of Belvedere palace Yugoslavia's premier and foreign minister, Dragisa Cvjetkovic, and Aleksander Markovic, signed a document identical except for the nation's name with that which Rumania signed—a pledge of collaboration against any new anti-Axis belligerent in either the European or Asiatic wars.

Yugoslavia Saves Something  
But where Rumania and more recently Bulgaria were promptly turned into vast encampments for German armies Yugoslavia received the pledges of the three senior partners that her sovereignty and territorial integrity would be respected for "all time."

However an unofficial version of Yugoslavia's commitments was that she had agreed to permit transport of war material and hospital equipment as well as wounded through her territory.

Greece (which may provide the battlefield for this equipment) already had warned Yugoslavia that this would be regarded as a "hostile act."

Adolf Hitler was in Vienna presumably at Belvedere palace when the pact was signed but it was not known whether he witnessed the actual signing.

In Berlin an authorized spokesman declared that British Prime Minister Churchill had threatened Rumania, Bulgaria and Yugoslavia before they joined the Axis and asserted that "President Roosevelt had indirectly made a similar expression toward the Balkans and directly toward the Yugoslav minister in Washington."

German foreign minister Von Ribbentrop on behalf of the other adherents of the three-power pact solemnly assured Prince Paul, Yugoslavia's chief regent, that the territorial integrity of his country would be respected and that no troops would march through it.

Three-Power Treaty  
This unequivocal pledge together with authoritative German comment that "we don't want Balkan division" gives credit to the following version which the Associated Press has received from a well informed source.

1. Germany undertook to guarantee Yugoslavia's integrity and obligated Italy and Japan likewise to respect it.

2. She promised that neither the frontiers nor territory of Yugoslavia would be violated.

3. She specifically exempted Yugoslavia from giving any active military aid to the three-power nations.

4. She promised after conclusion of the war when she plans the "new order in Europe" to take into account

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### COTTON

By the Associated Press			
May	10.86	10.86	10.82
July	10.75	10.83	10.76
October	10.69	10.72	10.66
December	10.68	10.69	10.63
January	10.65		
March	10.66	10.66	10.66
New York Cotton			
May	10.75	10.83	10.81
July	10.72	10.78	10.76
October	10.62	10.67	10.60
December	10.61	10.65	10.62
January	10.60	10.62	10.60
March	10.59	10.62	10.59
Midling Spot 11.11			

### A Thought

Obedience is the mother of success, the wife of safety.—Aeschylus.



## Roosevelt Fails to Agree to 'Full Parity'

Farm Legislators 'Discouraged' in Price Drive

WASHINGTON (AP)—Congressional farm leaders said last week-end they had failed to convince President Roosevelt of the need for legislation guaranteeing "full parity" prices for basic agricultural products.

They left a White House conference "discouraged" and threatening to conduct a drive for greatly increased

## Why, What's the Matter, Boys?



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## In Washington

By PETER EDSON, NEA Washington Correspondent

### They're at It Again... Peanut Politicians Are Throwing Shells in Defense Machinery

WASHINGTON — In the great task of this day—the duty of moving products from the assembly lines of the factories to the battle lines of democracy—one of the great sacrifices steel-workers, steevedores, store-keepers and housewives might like to see is the sacrifice in Washington of one of the primary bottlenecks interfering with defense production—the bottleneck of politics.

This crack is not aimed at congressmen who may argue against a lease-

lend bill or a \$7 billion appropriation, it is aimed at the party,

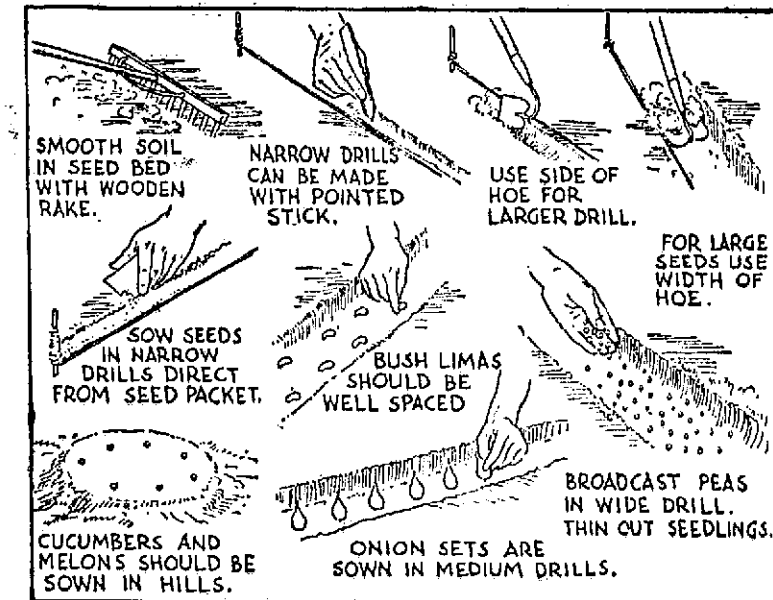
the fringe which plays departmental or personal politics in the defense effort and plays the game with such determination that opponents can be given cards and spades in any contest organized, and still be licked.

The crack is not aimed at individuals, either, but at the entire structure of men who in private industry would be rated as second assistant vice presidents in charge of something or other, and who play office intrigue practically all the time, and should be slapped down.

Who Will Boss O. P. M.?

You have to live in this Washington smokehouse for a time to learn the catch-as-catch-can rules. Every player has a hand of cards which represent the personalities and programs that particular player wants to put over. This hand is shown to any kiltzer who has any influence and

## Simple Garden Technique Gives Professional Finish



Technique of Seed Sowing in Garden Rows.

Skilled gardeners do not make plants grow; they let them grow. Experience soon teaches that fussing and pampering is more likely to harm than help. The real task of the gardener is to provide a favorable environment for the plant, as to soil, sunshine and moisture, and then devote himself to removing any obstacles to thrifty growth that may develop. Nature will do the rest.

In the Defense Garden the program of care may be reduced to five rules which, if accepted and lived up to, will advance any amateur to a degree of skill which few amateurs attain. They are:

1. Plant in straight rows, running north and south.
2. Do not plant more space than you can cultivate well.
3. Thin out mercilessly plants too thickly sown.
4. Feed plants with a complete balanced plant food.
5. Spray to prevent disease and kill insects.

These things may seem so simple as to amount to little; but only good gardeners observe them. When the gardening fever is on—especially a first attack—it seems a bother to stretch a line and see that seeds are planted exactly upon it, each row parallel to the next. But when plants have grown and we come to push a wheel hoe between the rows, then we realize that five minutes

spent in aligning the seeds would have saved weary hours in following the zigzag lines with the cultivator, to say nothing of the unsightly appearance of a slovenly planted garden as compared to the just pride we take in straight rows of well-developed vegetables cleanly cultivated.

No one escapes the annual temptation to undertake more garden work than he can reasonably handle. We are eager in April to cultivate all the land we can plant and wish for more; in July the weeds are likely to grow unhindered in much of the garden and vegetables which are planted in excess of the family needs go to waste. Curb your ambitions as much as you can and you will have less waste, more pleasure and better quality in the products of your garden.

An amateur never gets to the point where without a pang he can ruthlessly pull seedlings which are too thick in order to give the survivors a chance to develop properly. There is always a feeling that one is murdering a child; yet this operation is perhaps the most important of all in the vegetable garden and the one most generally neglected or only half done.

It is good policy to sow seeds thickly to insure a thick stand but vital to discard the surplus plants, otherwise none would mature perfectly.

can help in the putting over. The game is to guess what cards the other players hold and how they will be played.

For instance, one of the big guesting games right now centers around the question of who is going to be the eventual boss of the Knudsen-Hillman Office of Production Management. There is the skeleton Office of Emergency Management which might be the real head of the defense effort if it were given a boss instead of a presidential secretary liaison man.

With the President gone fishing and this point not clarified, the rumors which surround activities of the defense effort multiply like microbes in a culture. Regardless of the degree to which Knudsen may have caught the popular confidence of the country, he may not be considered adequate by the top schemers in Washington. It is this official uncertainty which is disturbing to the relentless forging ahead of the defense effort.

Long List of Guessing  
This same uncertainty and the resultant gossip about it affects the other phases of the defense effort:

The constant sniping at Secretary of State Hull.

The speculation on the "thinking" being done by Supreme Court Justices Frankfurter and Douglas in shaping policy and legislation.

The rule of Harry Hopkins as a White House guest in residence.

The problems of who will do the buying under the British aid bill.

The suspicion with which army-navy men view dollar-a-year men.

The rivalry between National Youth Administration and Office of Education as to who shall do what part of the training of defense workers, against Knudsen's contention that the best place to learn a trade is in a factory, and the charge that WPA and all relief agencies keep men off defense industry payrolls.

The conflict between theorists as to what makes best diet for troops.

The mystery of what Leon Henderson's job is to be and the exact position of the price stabilization set up in defense.

The constant overlapping of countless agencies with similar functions, each of which has a piece of the defense pie.

All these and dozens more petty squabbles about which the country at large may not give a hoot are the games that Washington plays daily. No collection of fanlike bridge players can discuss finesse, vulnerability, 1

## Greek Goddess



Marguerite Xenakis is modeling for the McClelland Barclay painting to be used as a program cover for the big "Greeks Festival for Freedom" benefit in New York, March 28.

tricks, games and rubbers with more rabid seriousness than three Washingtonians manifest in their daily playing of politics, but you have to see them in action to really appreciate the game.

Senator Truman of Missouri has a committee to investigate defense irregularities. It will begin functioning soon. It could have a lot of fun if it could go into some of these political bottlenecks.

Inability to meet public demand for telephones at Peiping, China, has resulted in a system whereby new installations are assigned by lot.

Men outnumber women nearly 2 to 1 in Peiping, China.

## Clubs

### Friendship

The Friendship Home Demonstration club met at Mrs. Dewey Houglund, March 21. The roll call was answered by 15 members as to the landscaping they had done. We were glad to add Miss Adell and Odell Wilson as members to our club. Plans were made for our club house.

A three act comedy play was given sometime ago to raise money for the building. We wish to thank each person for the cooperation.

Mrs. Della Lively took the leadership for "Food and Nutrition." Miss Odell Wilson was assigned scrapbook reporter. Mrs. Beatrice Ross will be our 4-H club leader.

Refreshments were served at the social hour by the hostess.

London physicians' stethoscopes frequently are used to listen to ticking of delayed action bombs before they are removed.

## Happy Daze For the Assessor

HINTON, W. Va. —(AP)—A deputy assessor here found one way to make a man more than honest.

A taxpayer, helping fell a tree, was struck in the head by a sapling and rendered unconscious. While he was still dazed, the assessor approached. The taxpayer proceeded to list not only all the property he should have, but also two calves belonging to his son and a cow which he had bought after January 1 and on which he therefore did not have to pay taxes.

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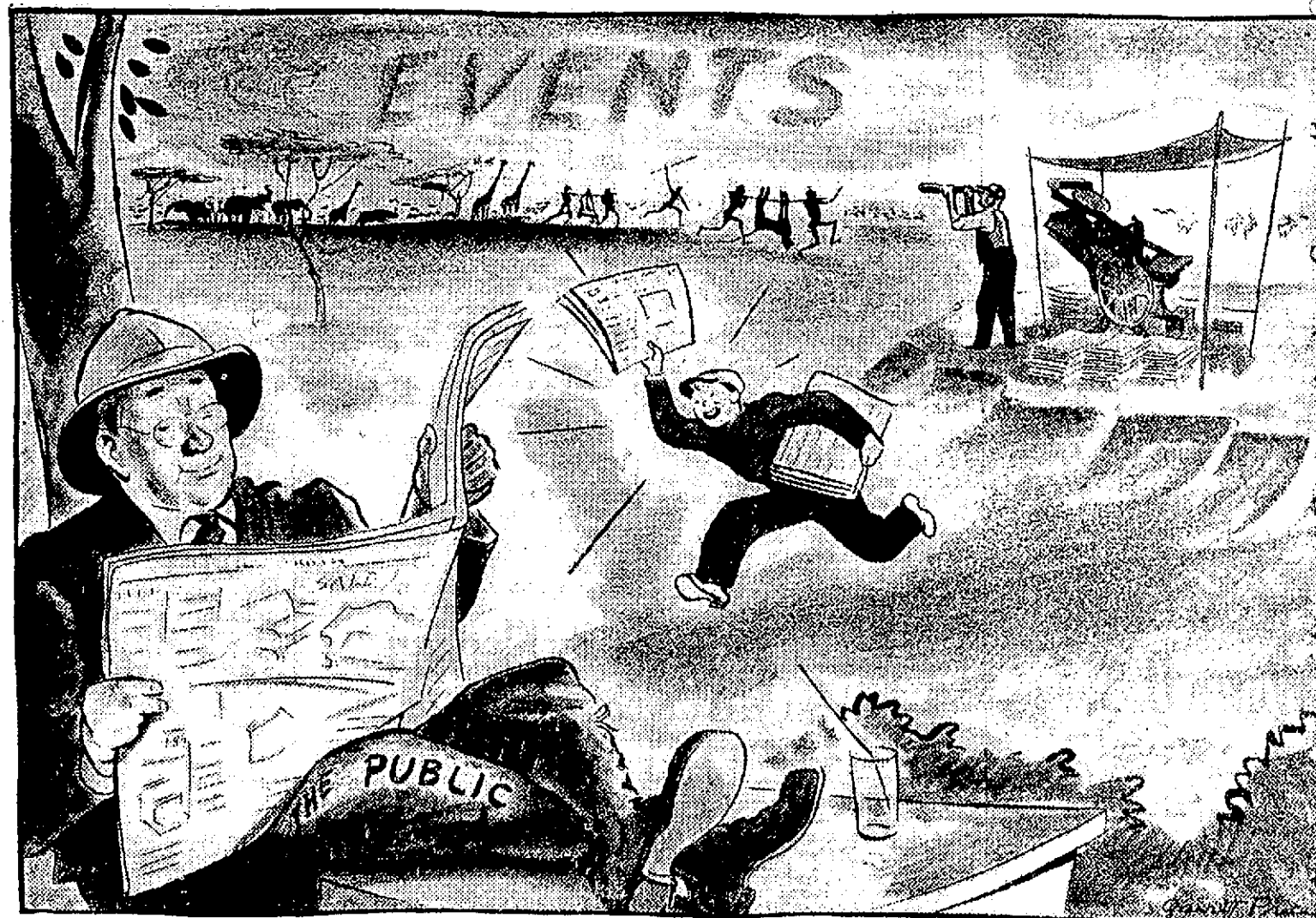
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BY NORMAN CHANDLER, CHAIRMAN, NEWSPAPER PUBLISHERS COMMITTEE



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# SOCIETY

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## Social Calendar

**Tuesday, March 25th**  
Miss Mary Shull will be complimentary at a bridge party by Miss Ruth Taylor, 3:30 o'clock.

Mrs. B. E. McMahon and Miss Elizabeth Bridwell, hostesses at bridge, honoring Mrs. Martin Cantley, 7:30 p. m.

Troop 2 of Girl Scouts, meet at the home of Mrs. J. O. Milam, the leader, after school.

Hope Business and Professional Women's club members, meet at the home of Mrs. Bennett, 615 South Elm street, for the monthly social. Miss Floye Taylor will be the associate hostess.

**Wednesday, March 26th**  
Mrs. Comer Boyett will be hostess to the members of the Wednesday Contract club honoring Mrs. P. D. Smith of Dallas and Mrs. Lloyd Spencer, 2:30 o'clock.

**Thursday, March 27th**  
Luther Holman will be host at a dinner at the Barlow honoring Miss Harriet Ann Pritchard, 6:30 o'clock.

## Announcements

The Junior-Senior P. T. A. will sponsor a rummage sale on Saturday. Any person having old clothes to contribute is asked to call 815-W.

Roy Andersons Have Buffet Supper for Lloyd Spencers Sunday

On Sunday night Mr. and Mrs. Roy Anderson entertained with a buffet supper at their spacious home on South Main street honoring Senator

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## Sign Pact

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Yugoslavia's wishes regarding the Aegean sea.

**Slavs Still Belligerent**

**BELGRADE (AP)—**Headlines in red ink and blaring radios told Yugoslavs Tuesday that their country had signed the three-power pact in Vienna as Germany, Britain, Greece and Turkey cleared the decks for possible large-scale warfare on a new Balkan front.

But even as the pact was signed, pamphlets were being distributed in the streets of Belgrade declaring that Adolf Hitler "would burn his tongue by nibbling on Yugoslavia."

At the same time the Belgrade radio announced it would begin immediately to interpret all foreign news for the benefit of the Yugoslav people.

Extra editions featured the note delivered to Premier Cvetkovic by the German and Italian foreign ministers promising "to respect the independence and territorial integrity of Yugoslavia forever" and that "the Axis powers will not ask Yugoslavia to permit passage of troops through Yugoslav territory."

Palace attendants said Regent Prince Paul and the "Croto peasant leader" listened together to a broadcast of the economy at a radio in a study of the white palace.

Newsboys with front page pictures of Adolf Hitler, German foreign minister von Ribbentrop and the Yugoslav premier and foreign minister gave the first official announcement of Yugoslavia's capitulation.

Newsboys prospered as exciting crowds throughout the capital snatched up each edition.

Reports began reaching Belgrade meanwhile of demonstrations. Reportedly great crowds gathered in the provinces shouting "down with the government" and denouncing the "traitor" treaty with speeches.

non, Dan McJunkins, Miss Bertha Mae Jones, Miss Wanda Sutton, Doyle Williams, Miss Ruth Cannon, Miss Virginia Sutton, Miss Martha Jane Harwell, Dale Clark, Joe Bower, Everett Lane and Miss Jane Clayton.

Assisting the hostess were her mother, Mrs. Jim Gleghorn, Miss Wanda Sutton, Miss Evelyn Pennybaker, and Miss Bertha Jones.

**W. S. C. S. Second Mission Study**

Study I, held Monday

A large number attended the second session of the Mission Study of the Women's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist church at the church on Monday afternoon.

Promptly at 2:30 the meeting was opened by the leader, Mrs. Steve Carigan. Mrs. R. M. Bryant gave the meditation. A most interesting travelogue was presented by Mrs. R. L. Bronch. In her presentation, she followed the Methodist missions in China.

Mrs. W. Johnson introduced the text book on China and Mrs. Henry Hitt gave an article telling of the present day conditions in China. Facts about a recent book by Madame Chiang Kai-Shek were given by Mrs. Linus Walker.

Mrs. John Arnold closed the group with prayer following a round table discussion on events in China today.

**Personal Mention**

Mrs. P. D. Smith of Dallas will arrive Tuesday for a visit with her parents, Captain and Mrs. R. A. Boyett.

Miss Maggie Bell has returned from a visit to Shreveport, where she was the guest of Mrs. Helen Ruffin Marshall. Hope friends of Mrs. Marshall will be interested in knowing that two pupils she accompanied to New Orleans to the Federation contest received first and second places in the contest.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. LaGrone Sr. had as Sunday guests, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Duke and daughter, Patsy, of Russellville.

Mrs. J. T. West is able to be removed to her home from the Julia Chester hospital, friends will be glad to know.

Hope friends of Lawrence Marshall will regret to know that he is a patient in St. Vincent's hospital in Little Rock, having been admitted Friday.

Mrs. Edwin Dossett is visiting her son, Edwin Dossett, in Little Rock.

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## She (the Baby) Likes Men Best



Deanna Jean Hall makes it no secret that blonds of her tender age prefer gentlemen. Here she plays up to Richard Carlson while Anne Shirley, former diaper-clad star herself, gives Deanna Jean advice on how to act this scene from "Little Miss Muffett."

## Answering Mail Orders

### Professors Rate High in Prominent Appointments

By JACK STINNETT

WASHINGTON—Answering the mail orders:

A. T. L. Portland, Oregon—I don't think it has been completely overlooked but at least you have hit on something that hasn't been mentioned for a long time. That is, that although the legal profession is the best passport to congress, the college professor rates just about second to none when it comes to getting a prominent appointment in the present administration (and this has held true from the days when the New Deal was in kindergarten). I couldn't list them all, even if I took a week off and didn't do anything but check the record, but even a superficial glance proves the point. Adolph A. Berle, Jr., one of the prime movers in the state department, was once on the Harvard and Columbia university faculties; Francis B. Sayre, the Philippines high commissioner, is from the Harvard law faculty; and Charles W. Eliott, of the national resources planning board, also is a Harvard faculty graduate.

Clarence Dykstra, selective service director and chairman of the new national defense board, is Wisconsin university's president. Dartmouth's President Ernest M. Hart is in the Office of Production Management. Nelson Rockefeller's office for coordination of commercial and cultural relations between the American republics is full of professors. Harriet Elliott, who is watching over consumers problems for the Council of National Defense, is a dean of the University of North Carolina. Leon Henderson, of the Securities and Exchange commission, and government watch-dog on prices in the defense set-up, is a professor of economics. Laughlin Currie, who is battling his way about China as the President's special representative is a former Harvard professor of money and banking. There are professors galore in the department of agriculture and the treasury department probably has as many as some well-known colleges. Top-notching off, John G. Winant, now ambassador to the Court of St. James, was a prep school prof long before he had nicked the rim of politics. Don't write to tell me that I missed a lot of the professors who are holding government jobs. I just skimmed the surface—which should be proof enough that a classroom desk is a good stepping-stone to Uncle Sam's payroll.

Mrs. R. P., Louisville, Ky.—It is impossible to say what chances your son, a reserve officer, has of getting out of the army at the end of his year of duty, but I would say the odds are more than even. The army has a "policy" on this score, but it is hard for a civilian to comprehend. Only 75 per cent of the reserve officers in corps area service commands and not more than 50 per cent in each regiment, separate battalion or company, will serve more than 12 months. There are, however, a long list of exceptions. These include officers called from the lists of warrant officers and enlisted men formerly in the regular army; officers already serving in a special service, such as the signal corps, or R.O.T.C.; officers in foreign service; and officers in specialized positions for which there are not readily available any other reserve officers. I think this all boils down to officers who are doing special service or those who have signified their willingness to serve "for any duration" that they are needed.

T. M., Enid, Okla.—The reason you don't see your senator's or congressman's vote on an important piece of legislation is generally that he is ill or necessarily out of the city or occupied with some other government business that he considers just as or more important. Your Sen. Elmer Thomas was seriously ill when the

vote was taken on the lend-lease bill.

K. R., Lincoln, Neb.—The President's proclamation does designate Army day as April 7; but the reason you are seeing so many plans for parades, demonstrations and so forth on April 5 is that the latter date is on Saturday and special activities on Saturday are less likely to interrupt the national training program. In many cases these demonstrations can be combined with 24-to-36 hour leaves which will leave the soldiers without any complaints of overwork.

Each U. S. military truck, scout car or other vehicle contains about 40 distinct raw materials.

And when a movie marksman tumbles a pesky redskin from his pin-point, Jim screams an exultant, unheeding "Yip-pee!" For his were the days when it was held that the only good Indian was a dead Indian.

To Jim, a wild west movie is the recounting of an era, not horse opera. And when he dies, a little bit of the Old West will be buried with him.

Jim lives every minute of every reel bent forward in his uncomfortable seat, his spare frame quivering, his patch of gray hair gone wild. All westerns are good movies to Jim. The heroes are pure, the heroines purer, and the villains one shade of black.

Jim needs no sound effects. The clatter of a stagecoach, the thudding of horses at gallop, the bellowing of a dusty sea of cattle, are all recorded on his inner ear.

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## The U. S. Loves Wild Westerns

### The West Is Lived Again in Saturday Shows

By RAY PEACOCK

AP Feature Service Writer

There is an old Jim and the West there is an old Jim. They were together in their roaring youth, and together they have grown old and broken to halter.

Jim was of the West when it was composed of feudal states, when all the law there was a man held in his six-shooter. He was a cocky sparrow of a man who liked to fight; so well that after there were no more Indian wars he had zest for the Spanish-American scrap. Immediately, he haled his way from one edge of the plains to the other.

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  3. If you have a caller who arrives when you are taking an afternoon nap and it takes you a few minutes to dress, should you apologize for keeping the person waiting?
  4. If you drive up in front of a house, expecting to pay a call, and see the person coming out the door with coat and hat on, should you postpone your call?
  5. Is it good manners for a young man to drive up in front of the house or apartment in which his girl lives and honk for her to come out?
- What would you do if—
- You go to an entertainment and find out after you are there that there is to be a speech, which you don't care about hearing—
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- (b) Feel that it is all right to

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- 10 Grandparental.
- 11 To ascend.
- 12 Room recess.
- 13 Article.
- 14 Bed laths.
- 16 Goddess of discord.
- 18 To appear.
- 20 One that snubs.
- 22 Postscript (abbr.).
- 24 Thick slice.
- 26 Huge serpents.
- 30 Right of precedence.
- 32 Rubber pencil ends.
- 33 Coin.
- 34 Relating to vision.
- 35 Decays.
- 37 Type standard.
- 38 Money drawer.
- 40 To sob.
- 42 Makes a mistake.
- 43 Stated.
- 47 Laughable.
- 49 Loves excessively.
- 51 He was a — by birth.
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**VERTICAL**

- 1 Sun god.
- 2 Egg-shaped.
- 3 Ruby spinel.
- 4 Exalts.
- 5 Three.
- 6 Morsel.
- 7 Consumers.
- 8 Momento.
- 9 Heaven.
- 14 He is the — of things and people.
- 15 To choose.
- 17 Grief.
- 19 Places of sacrifice.
- 21 Stretched temporarily.
- 23 To undermine.
- 25 Things which give stability.
- 27 Either.
- 28 Born.
- 29 He wrote of —
- 31 To alarm.
- 36 Calm.
- 39 Legal.
- 41 Tiny skin openings.
- 43 To bellow.
- 44 Bristle.
- 46 Church title.
- 48 Parts of mouths.
- 50 Habitual drunkard.
- 52 To scatter.



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## The Fight Is Between Force and Reason

Cold chills and cold feet would be simultaneously justified if the United States were now undertaking the task of defeating every country in the world to become a democratic republic like our own government.

That is not American policy. When we talk of aid-to-democracies, we talk in pretty general terms. What we really mean is aid-to-victims-of-aggression.

The American people and the government of the United States believe in "live and let live." We believe in the right of all peoples to set their own kind of government that suits them best. We did not interfere when Russia, Italy and Germany set

up governments which were hostile to us. It was only when they began imposing these forms on other countries that we began to worry.

The President has spoken of Four Freedoms—freedom of speech and expression, freedom to worship God according to conscience, freedom from want, freedom from fear. He added, however, that all are not immediately attainable throughout the world. He has no illusion that they can be imposed by force on any people, and the United States has no such intention.

What we stand for is that all countries and all peoples shall have the right to choose their own institutions; that when they have so chosen, other peoples shall not by force or threat compel them to change, or to yield precious independence and freedom.

That is the key to the whole matter. That is what unites in spirit and purpose such otherwise diverse people as the British, the Greeks, the Turks, the free sections that remain of Holland, Belgium, Norway, France, and the rest of the dozen overrun countries.

Should Hitler be defeated tomorrow, it is certainly unlikely that all these people would form governments and institutions on the same model—even on our model. We would not try to make them do so. The goal and the hope is that they will agree on an international order in which reason and peaceful settlement of controversies will take the place of a perpetual motion arms race, the bullying of the weak by the strong, and force as the sole arbiter of events.

That is democracy as applied to the international field—a plain rule of "live and let live." Democracy in long run means simply the willingness to respect others' rights as equal to one's own.

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## Harrison in Hollywood

By PAUL HARRISON, NEA Service Correspondent

### Flash! Movies Find New Ways Of Pitching Woo

During the absence of Paul Harrison on assignment touring defense camps for a series of articles, his popular Hollywood column will be written by Lucie Neville, known to The Star readers for her sparkling movie fashion stories

By LUCIE NEVILLE

NEA Service Staff Correspondent HOLLYWOOD — They're playing a love scene without dialog and without kisses in "My Life With Caroline." There isn't even any hand-holding because the players sit 10 feet apart. Ronald Colman and British leading lady Anna Lee's love scene is played—literally—on two pianos, and familiar song titles instead of honeyed words do the flirting.

It begins at a luncheon table, in a ritzy hotel, where Caroline (Miss Lee) and Anthony (Colman) are reminiscing about a memorable day of sun, champagne and sweet nothing they once spent at Monte Carlo. They dawdle over the coffee, linger until the waiters are setting the tables for tea and the orchestra has left the stand.

The next shot shows Caroline at one piano on the stand, Anthony facing her at the other, and he's playing, "Let's Sit and Talk About You." She agrees by replying with the first bars of "Say It With Music." His next is a recognizable dash of "Tell Me Pretty Maudie," which she interrupts with "Ma. He's Makin' Eyes at Me." Anthony swings into "I'm Confessing That I Love You, Tell Me Do You Love Me, Too?" and gets another flippant song-title retort.

His reproachful "Mean to Me" makes Caroline soften to the extent of playing, "I've Got a Feeling I'm Falling," then "My Heart Stood Still." By the time she has heard "Remember the Night" she's ready to answer with "She Didn't Say Yes, Didn't Say No."

Better Than Flirting

It's a nice scene—different from the hackneyed routine where the hero warbles a verse, then sits in glassy-eyed and grinning catatony while the heroine has a turn at the tune. Both Colman and Miss Lee

are fair pianists—he studied as a boy and she at school in England—even the rehearsals are fun to listen to.

The true story behind the scene is better than the movie version audience will see. It happened like this: When writers John Van Druten and

Arnold Belgard reached his point in their "Caroline" script where the stars were to play a sentimental love scene, they were stumped. What kind of setting could they use that hadn't been filmed a thousand times before? They wrote like any of them, and neither did Director Lewis Milestone. Finally Van Druten threw up his hands, said in disgust, "Well, I don't know anything else to do. We've done everything except say it with music."

Blond Inspiration

"Sa-a-a-a-y, I think you've got something there," exclaimed Milestone. "I remember . . ." And he told the writing team about a time when he and a pal were nightclub-

bing. The other fellow had a roving eye and it wasn't long before he spotted a curvaceous blond, who did not seem too entertained with her court. Naturally, he couldn't talk to a lady to whom he hadn't been introduced, but there wasn't any law against flirting.

He called over the club's crooner, who was strolling among the customers singing request number. Next thing, the cutie was being serenaded with a where-have-you-been-all-my-life ballad. She caught on and did a little song-requesting herself, with the result that Milestone was left with the cheek while his pal and the blond—went on to bigger and gayer night clubs.

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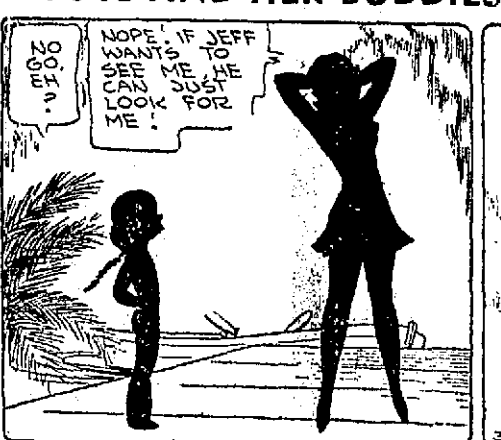
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ALL THAT DOWNTOWN LINGO MEANS IS THAT THE OLD BOY HAS BUMPED INTO ANOTHER DOOR IN THE DARK!

BUSTER JUST GAVE HIM THE CHEMIST'S BAD NEWS—



## BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



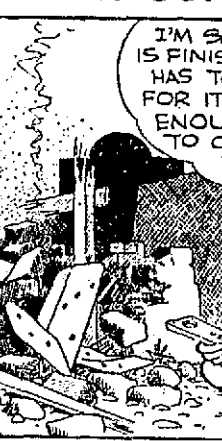
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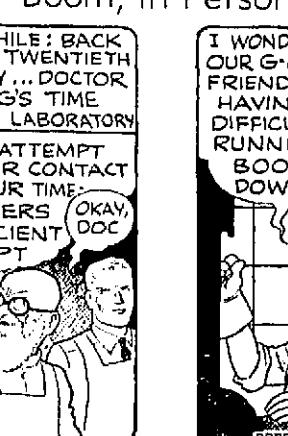
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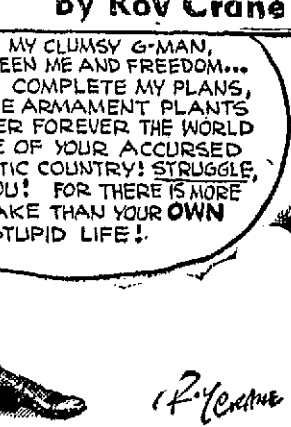
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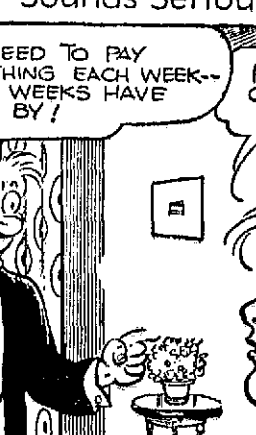
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## Temporarily, Red?



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## America's Men of Science

### Dr. V. K. Zworykin — Speeds Television By Perfecting Electrical 'Human Eye'



Dr. V. K. Zworykin

This is the second of a series of 12 articles introducing you to America's foremost scientists.

By WATSON DAVIS  
 Director, Science Service Written for NEA Service

To Dr. V. K. Zworykin, Russian-born master of electronics, we owe more than to any other person, television as it is today.

Before the depression television got a false start, using the older mechanical methods. A dozen or so television broadcasts went on the air with sight and sound, but the quality was not sufficiently good to interest the public. The infant industry seemed to be strangled by the technical limitation of the mechanical impossibility of scanning a scene or reproducing an image speedily enough.

Then along came Zworykin with electronic television. He invented the iconoscope (literally "image observer") which is the closest artificial imitation of the human eye yet devised.

The iconoscope has no scanning disk or other moving parts. The only thing about it that moves is a thin stream of electrons, a cathode ray, played back and forth across a sensitive artificial "retina" by changes in a magnetic field.

Television Is Ready Now

Dr. Zworykin also invented the kinescope, or receiving tube of television. In this apparatus, the television current creates a stream of electrons varying in strength with the fluctuations in the current. Pulled by a set of magnets corresponding to those in the iconoscope, the electron stream plays rapidly back and forth across the screen which shines when the electrons bombard it, thus reproducing the original televised scene.

Dozens of others have developed various aspects of television so that it is a perfected accomplishment ready for public use. But Dr. Zworykin is one of the greatest pioneers.

From his laboratories at the RCA Manufacturing Company, Camden, N. J., has come a new electronic apparatus, the electron microscope, which allows the scientist to look further into the depths of living and non-living matter. This new super-microscope can see particles and germs

hitherto invisible. It magnifies 25,000 to 30,000 times directly and pictures of 100,000 diameters magnification can be made.

Puts Electrons to Work  
 Educated as an electrical engineer in the Russia of the czars, Vladimir Kosma Zworykin came to America shortly after the World war. For 10 years he was a Westinghouse research engineer and in 1930 he became director of RCA's famous electronic research laboratory.

Now, at the age of 50, Dr. Zworykin is one of the world's leading exponents of putting to useful tasks those little particles of electricity and fragments of the atoms that are called electrons.

NEXT: Making airplanes fly faster.

## Answer to Cranium Cracker

- Questions on Page One
- (a) Louis Pasteur, medicine.
  - (b) Jess Willard, boxing.
  - (c) Charles Edison, politics.
  - (d) Thomas Edison, invention.
  - (e) Rudyard Kipling, literature.
  - (f) Guglielmo Marconi, radio.
  - (g) Wilbur Shaw, auto racing.
  - (h) George Lupino, theater.
  - (i) Julius (Groucho) Marx, motion pictures.

## BARBS

Two bandits failed in an attempt to rob people on a train in Wyoming. Maybe the porter brushed them off. It seems that the old expression, "Hands across the sea," is to be displaced by arms across the sea.

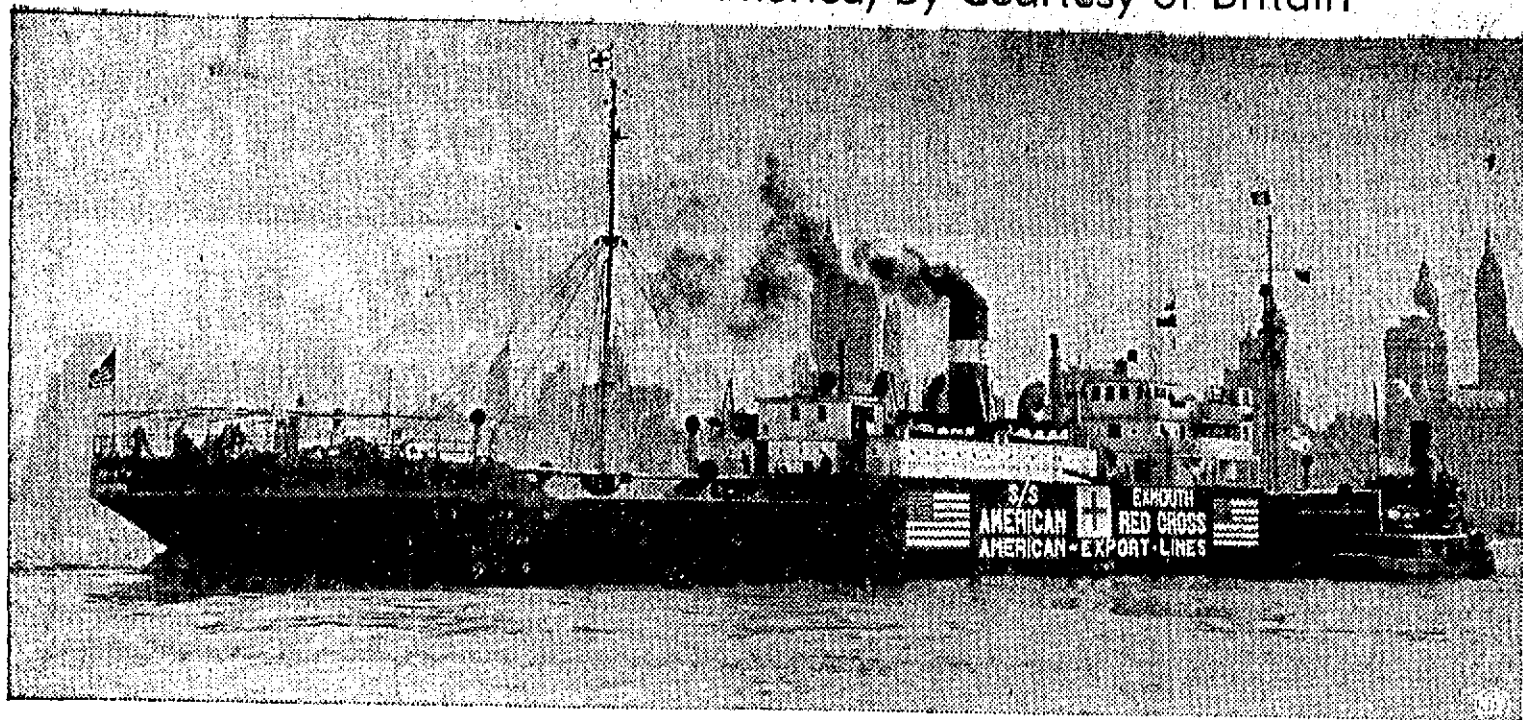
The allowed to go to unoccupied France with food—and we hope it doesn't run into the Hitler double-cross.

Necessity being the mother of invention doesn't explain monacles. A lot of us wouldn't be content with our lot even if it was a lot.



# The World's News as Told in Pictures

Food for France---From America, by Courtesy of Britain



Loaded with milk products and medical supplies, the American liner Exmouth steams for Marseilles with million dollar cargo raised by nickel, dime and dollar contributions to American Red Cross. Britain relaxed her blockade to permit such shipments to unoccupied France.

Turk Army Chief



Marshal Fevzi Cakmak commands Turkish army.

'Ten-Shun! Rookie Oliver Slams One for New Fans



Draftee Ed "Porky" Oliver shows army mates, in stead of usual shirt-sleeved gallery, how his drives landed him in top golf ranks before Uncle Sam called him for army ranks. Picture made at Fort Dix, N. J.

Blitzkrieg Kindergarten for Visiting Japanese



Japanese junior members of the axis on a military mission in Germany get first hand instructions from Hitler's army. Tall Nazi officer in rear doesn't appear to regard pupils too highly.

Open Season



They've started picking them already. Louise Baker won early-season beauty contest in Miami.

Tenting on the Old Flood Grounds



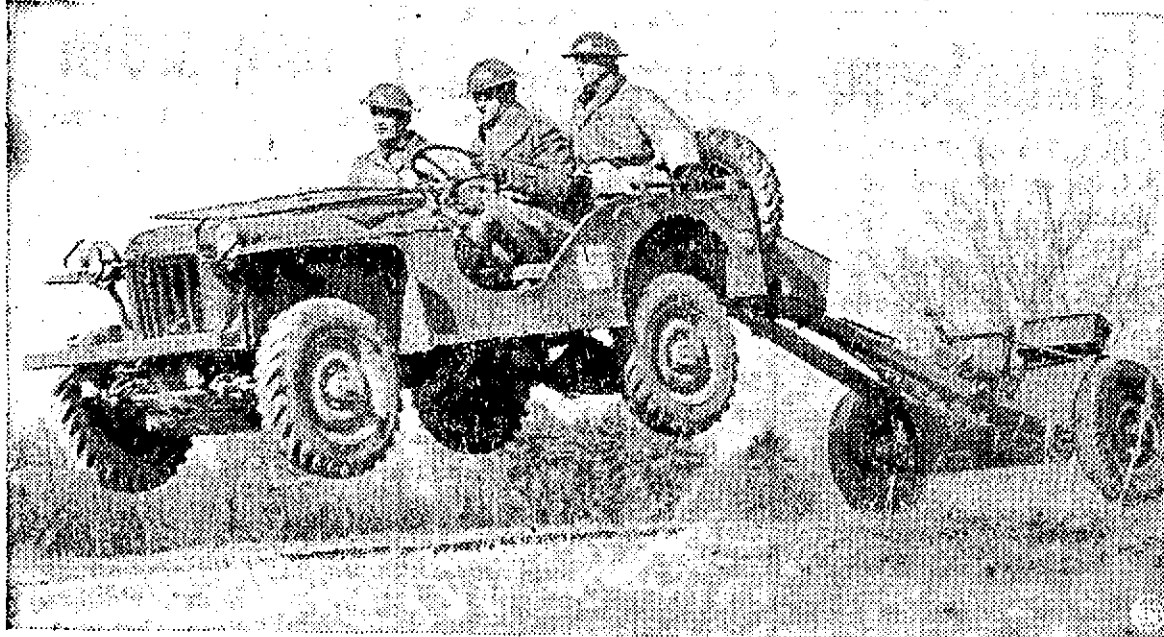
Hoisted over a flood-control dam project on the White river near Enumclaw, Wash., this big tent keeps men, tools and the site dry. Compare size of men at bottom of picture with tent, costing \$35,000.

Military Objectives in Salonika



Terror is etched on faces of mother and daughter huddled together in Salonika, Greece, during bombing attack by Italian planes.

Let 'er Buck . . . It's the Cavalry Riding Herd



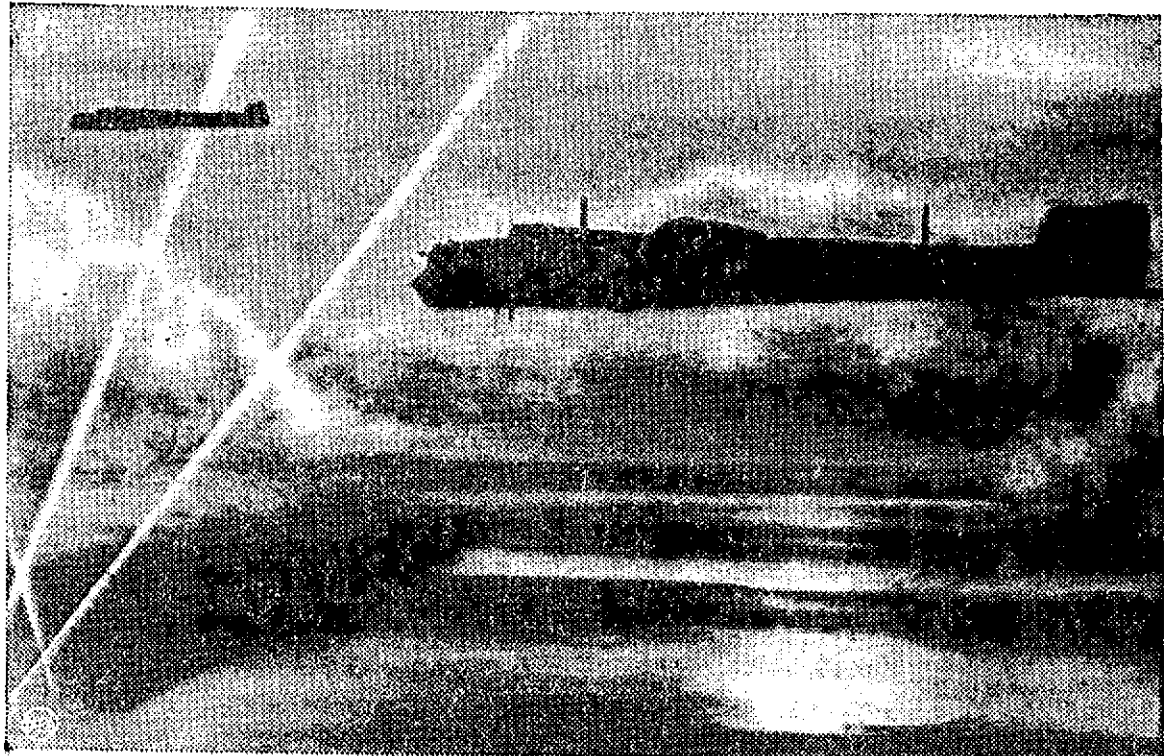
Rough riders of the Sixth cavalry, U. S. Army, take off in their bantam car dragging a 37-mm. gun behind them during maneuvers at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga.

What Isn't Wrong With This Photo?



Linda Johnson, movie starlet, is to be queen of the smelt festival at Escanaba, Mich. Smelt, Linda, are little fish dipped with nets, rarely caught on fly rods. Fly rods, Linda, are held with reel down, not up. Reels, Linda, are cranked with the right hand, not the left.

'British Bombers Were Active Last Night . . .'



This unusual picture shows British bombers over Nazi-held Dutch coast amid glare of searchlights. They're on way to blast military targets on continent.

Elusive Herr Zapp Caught by Camera



Manfred Zapp, editor of Nazi-owned Transocean News Service, avoided photographers--until his indictment in New York federal court for failure to register as an alien agent. With Zapp is his assistant, Guenther Tonn.

An Unimportant Picture---Or Is It?



There is absolutely no reason for running this new picture of Veronica Lake, film starlet, except that it is a pretty thing and provides relief from a heavy diet of war and defense photos.



## Farm Bureau Is Best Hope

Glarence Cannon Makes Assertion in Congress

From the Arkansas Farm Bureau Federation  
Emphasizing his belief that "it is the economic necessity that farmers represent," Representative Clarence Cannon, Missouri congressman, who for 25 years has championed the cause

of agriculture in the halls of the congress, declared recently that "the American Farm Bureau Federation represents our only hope of uniting the farmers of the whole country into effective and aggressive farm organization."

Cannon is chairman of the important House Appropriations Committee which passes on all appropriations, including funds for farm parity and soil conservation payments, Rural Electrification, Farm Security Administration, and others, paid the Farm Bureau a splendid tribute during testimony by leaders of the American Farm Bureau Federation before his committee in their efforts to have the government establish loans amounting to 85 per cent of parity price on cotton, rice, and other basic commodities and provide adequate funds for special crops and for removal of burdensome surpluses of agricultural commodities.

Prior to this testimony, Cannon said: "We must have organized agriculture. It is impossible for us to do anything in congress unless we have some one who can speak with authority as the representative of agriculture of the nation. Now, I am going further and make, perhaps, a very impolitic statement: 'I will say that, so far as I can see now, the American Farm Bureau Federation represents our only hope of uniting the farmers of the whole country into an effective and aggressive farm organization. For that reason we welcome you gentlemen here particularly. We believe you represent, as you say, and, in fact, we know you represent and speak for the greatest number of farmers in the United States. On that account, we know that your statements should carry particular weight.'"

Following the two days of testimony offered by farm leaders, including R. E. Short, Brinkley farmer and president of the Arkansas Farm Bureau Federation, Cannon stated: "I want to thank you for the committee for the testimony you have given us. Unquestionably it is the most valuable contribution which has been made by anybody who has appeared before the committee this year. . . . You alone of all the witnesses appearing before the committee this year have urged economy and tried to point out a way in which it can be effected. The committee is at a great disadvantage in hearing the witnesses who appear before us. We are busy men. . . . The only time we have to spare is the time we can give across this table. All we know is what they tell us. And it goes without saying that all testimony adduced here by those seeking appropriations is consciously or unconsciously biased by personal interest. Much of it on even cursory examination is of doubtful value. All to a greater or lesser extent have axes to grind. They want money. They want to employ people. They want jobs. They want to extend their jurisdiction. It is a novelty to find some one asking economy, simplification, coordination. . . . Another reason why we appreciate having your point of view, is that you come from the farmers. You represent the farmer. In the department too often they get the idea that the

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## SERIAL STORY

### DOLLARS TO DOUGHNUTS

BY EDITH ELLINGTON

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YESTERDAY: Beatrice and Mr. Bradley quarrel, then, strangely, make up. Lunching together, he discovers that he is ambitious, anxious to improve himself, she is delighted, compliments him. She asks for a date.

#### BEE KEEPS A DATE

##### CHAPTER XIII

BEATRICE could scarcely wait until she had cornered Toby Masters in one of the fitting rooms.

"Mr. Bradley asked me for a date!"

Toby's eyes flew wide open and her mouth gaped. "Eureka!" She looked at Beatrice knowingly. "And you're kinda worked up about it, too. Aren't you the gal who said she wouldn't be interested?"

The store was mobbed with customers, they had to hurry back to the floor. But all through the afternoon Beatrice was happy and excited.

She wore a Scotch Sale badge, now. She pointed to it, once, when Mr. Bradley's eye caught hers, and he grinned. At 5:30, when the closing gong sounded through the store, he bent over her as she totaled her sales. "I don't know where you live," he whispered.

"Flatbush." She scribbled the address hastily on the edge of her tally card. He looked at it, then she erased it. There was a rule in the store that employees must not have dates. Grandfather, evidently, had come to the conclusion that it ruined efficiency.

On the subway, she wondered why she had never been as eager and expectant about her dates with young men who bore the names of famous families, young men who spent more money in a week, probably, than Mr. Bradley earned in a year.

She caught Toby's sleeve. "Mr. Bradley! I don't even know his first name!"

"Neither do I," said Toby. "But I'll ask him as soon as he sticks his nose in the door. By the way, do you want Vera and me to evaporate?"

"Oh, no!" The idea of entertaining Mr. Bradley in the apart-

ment alone left her panicky. "No, you must stay."

"This is Wednesday," calculated Toby heartlessly. "Not likely that he's got much money, so close to pay day. So he won't be taking you out. Are you sure you want us to stick around the whole evening?"

AS soon as they reached home, Toby told Vera the news.

"She's captured the idol of the department. Handsome Bradley, six feet two in his stocking feet. Wait till you see him, Vera. He puts Terry definitely in the shade."

"I don't value Terry for his beauty," said Vera. She cupped her chin in her hands and asked dreamily, "Shall we hang Japanese lanterns around the place in honor of your floor walker, Bee? Or would a little judicious dusting be plenty?"

"I'll clean up myself," Beatrice told her. "And if you two will kindly keep the lid on your own particular brand of low humor, I'll appreciate it."

"I can only answer for myself," said Vera. "But you know Terry."

"What? Is that egg coming around tonight?" Toby cried.

"Be a sport, Vera," Toby suggested. "Take him walking in the park."

But Terry, who arrived shortly afterward, refused to walk in the park. "I want to see this guy," he insisted. "Here I've been working on Bee for days, trying to fix up a date for a friend of mine, and she's too highhat. Yet this wonder crooks his finger—"

"If you tell him that, I'll murder you!"

Terry settled himself on the studio couch. "You can't object if I merely point out to him that you're a very, very tasty dish; miles above my ilk; a user of impeccable diction; an abominable cook, but beautiful!"

Terry nearly always made Beatrice uncomfortable, for he had shrewdly discerned too many things about her. She went straight to the point. "Mr. Bradley possesses a Harvard accent to match my own high-brow diction, darling. He, too, is not a toothpick addict."

"We guttersnipes enjoy gawping at the upper classes," said Terry. "No sir, no park for me. I stay right here!"

Beatrice was feverishly combing her hair, trying for the dozenth time to make the curls stay put the way they used to, when the doorbell rang. She ran out of the bedroom. "Terry, one wisecrack and I slay you!" She went to the door.

MR. BRADLEY stood in the hall with his hat in his hand. "Come in," Beatrice greeted him. She leaned forward. "What's your first name?" she whispered. "Toby's going to say something dreadful the first chance she gets and I want to be prepared."

"Anthony. What's yours?"

"Bee."

They went in together. He seemed to dwarf the tiny living room and Terry cried out at once, "Watch it! You'll knock your head on the door frame!"

"This is Mr. Terence Donahue, Guaranteed worthless. This is Vera Conlon, and, of course, you know Toby Masters."

Terry moved over on the sofa, and Anthony sat down. Beatrice thought "What do I do now?" At home, she would have rung for the maid and cocktails on a tray would have appeared. But cocktails were sinful luxuries in Flatbush.

Terry came to the rescue. "Bee doesn't want me to talk to you, Bradley," he said with a perfectly straight face. "That makes things a little complicated. Because I'd like to know how it feels to spend most of your waking hours in a dress department. Surrounded by dames and bargains."

"It feels awful," said Anthony. "I'm a photographer."

"I used to be a nut about cameras when I was at school. I still have a Leica I trot out when I can manage to buy a film. What kind of photography do you do?"

THE awkward moment had been bridged, and half an hour later Beatrice was wondering whether Anthony had come here to see her or to talk cameras with Terry. "You see what happens when a gal has no privacy," Toby said, when they went into the closet-kitchen to make coffee. "This is what broke up every one of my four romances."

Terry and Anthony were still talking when the two girls carried in the filled cups.

Beatrice thought, "Is this what he came for? To sit around, talk to Terry—and waste time?" Her own resentment and sharp disappointment amazed her. She looked at Anthony's dark hair, ruffled as always, and the clean line of his jaw. Something stirred inside her. And then Anthony's eyes lifted. He smiled at her, and the smile was like a signal, above the heads of the others.

"How about you and I going out and leaving these people flat, Bee?"

(To Be Continued)

## HIGHLIGHTS FROM LATEST BOOKS

How 'Uncle Tom's Cabin' Developed From a Vision

The year may produce no biography more important than Forrest Wilson's classic "Crusader in Crinoline" (Lippincott: \$3.75). This is a full-length portrait of the woman who wrote Uncle Tom's Cabin and shook the nation; it is scholarly, based on scores of new sources; exhaustive (nearly 650 pages), definitive. Against the backdrop of the 19th century, Mr. Wilson, former Washington newspaper man, pictures the whole evangelical Beecher clan, Lyman saving souls on the road to Cincinnati, Henry Ward and Harriet, planning their propaganda against slavery, brewing "as nearly as any two persons then living could brew it, the bloodiest war in our history." How Harriet Beecher Stowe conceived the characters of her immortal novel is told in the following excerpt, typical of the whole book's dramatic intensity:

In February, 1851, Communion Sunday came to the First Parish Church in Brunswick, and Harriet attended. The sermon ended, the communion ritual began, but she was distinctly aware of it. . . . she was seeing a vision—seeing it as plain as if she were there. . . . and the actors too. There was an old slave, with white wool, clothed in rags—a gentle, Christian man. . . . being flogged to death by the white ruffian who owned him. . . . This brute was too cowardly to do the murderous work himself, but ordered two degraded slaves to lay on the whips.

From far away Harriet heard the benediction pronounced and walked home in a trance. Then she wrote to her bedroom and wrote out the picture given her in the vision. . . . Even the names of the actors were coming to her now. The Negro saint was Uncle Tom. The two slave executioners were Sambo and Quimbo. The name of the hairy, ape-like master was a sheer inspiration—Simon Legree. Few fictional names hold such sinister suggestion.

Harriet elaborated the picture. The example of Christian steadfastness set by Uncle Tom in his agony touched even the savage hearts of Sambo and Quimbo. She read to the children what she had written. They wept convulsively, and Henry cried out, "Oh, mamma! Slavery is the most cruel thing in the world!"

machinery is run for the sake of the machinery rather than for the farmer. . . . our hearings are necessarily ex-parte proceedings. We hear the plaintiff but never the defendant. We need people to come before us as you have and give the other side. I want you to know we appreciate it. . . . We need to hear the farmer's point of view. We thank you for the data you submit, for the suggestions you have made, and for the service you have rendered the committee and the country."

## Keep Your Eye on the Ball

Congressman Hope recently intimated that undue emphasis is being put on "Relief" activities that constitute a part of the farm program, and too little on the fundamental purpose of that program, which is to put agriculture on an economic parity with other groups. Whether that is the case or not, his statement emphasizes the fact that the two phases of the program should not be confused. Both are important, but the latter is fundamental.

A number of agencies have been set up and activities have been undertaken to salvage the wreckage caused by economic maladjustment. They are necessary and several of them are doing a fine job, but they are not a solution for the agricultural problem. Emergency seed loans, camps for migrant agricultural labor, the Farm Security Programs, are all necessary because something has been and is out of adjustment. It is important that the situations arising are of such maladjustments be considered and that they who suffer as a result of them be helped, but it is still more important, in the long run, to remove the conditions which cause them.

One of the essential steps in that direction is to disabuse the public mind of the idea that the remedial measures enumerated above, and others like them, are being undertaken "for agriculture." They are being undertaken as part of the duty of local, state and national government to care for its citizens, not as farmers, but simply as people. That they happen to live in the country merely changes the type of aid, not the obligation to give it. These remedial measures, do to a certain degree, help agriculture, just as remedial measures undertaken in towns and cities benefit, to a certain degree, labor and industry.

These things are important, but it is essential that farm people keep their eyes focused on their decade-long attempt to cure at its root the evil which makes them necessary.

—Missouri Farm Bureau News.

## Blevins Takes First in Judging Contest

The Blevins high school meat judging team placed first in a judging contest at Magnolia Friday and the school placed fifth with a score of only 135 less than the winner, Mineral.

Springs. The north Hempstead team will enter the state meet at Fayetteville April 4 and 5.

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